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Michael Sych, Andreas Goppelt  Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:								
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	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
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